



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Yan, et al.

Appl. No.: 09/997,240

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For: Isolated Homozygous Stem Cells,
Differentiated Cells Derived
Therefrom, and Materials and Methods
for Making And Using Same

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Examiner: Shen, Wu Cheng Winston

Group Art Unit: 1632

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended two months from December 19, 2006 to February 19, 2007, by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.


The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17) is believed to be \$225.00 for a two month extension for a small entity. Fee payment is provided in our accompanying Check No. 114917. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0622.

Respectfully submitted,

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